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## REQUEST FOR ADVANCEMENT OUT OF TURN

USPTO is required pursuant to 37 CFR section 1.496 to advance this application "out of turn" for examination.

It appears that USPTO has done nothing whatsoever with this patent application since July of 2006. By now it has been well over a year and a half and USPTO has not even done so much as mail a Filing Receipt.

It is urgently requested that USPTO mail a Filing Receipt immediately, and that USPTO not delay further in examining this application.

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